

A family night outing and wicker roast were enjoyed by the families of the Girl Scout Brownie Troop 21, sponsored by Torrance Elementary PTA, at Lomita Park, Wednesday, July 1. Co-leaders are Mrs. Betty Bray and Mrs. Sue Witz. Participating in the activities, which included a jump-rope contest by the parents, marshmallow roast, and song fest by the Brownies led by Mrs. Wits, were the families of Cara Armstrong, Kathleen Bray, Kathy Campbell, Deborah Eason, Rosemary and Patricia Fagnano, Diane Friberg, Kendra Posey, Martha Rabel, Carol Thompson, Martha Yancey and Marilyn Wits. The evening concluded with group singing around the campfire.

Brownie Troop 21 joined with a Howard Wood School Brownie troop led by Mrs. Pauline Cox for a morning of skating fun at Torrance Roller Skating Rink Saturday, June 13.

**WINS CERTIFICATE**

James R. Allen, Lomita Post Office employee, recently was awarded a certificate by Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield for suggestions to improve mail service, according to Regional Operations Director Verne Scoggins.

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